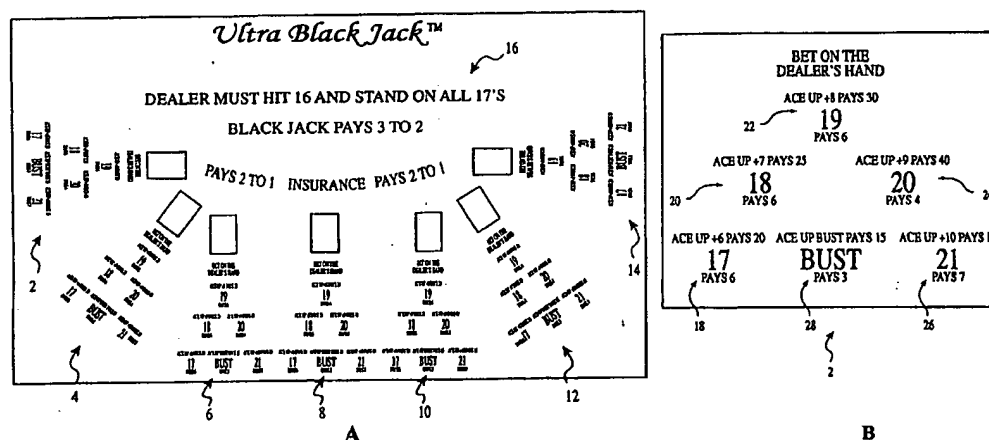




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(57) Abstract

A method of playing a modified twenty-one card game by at least a dealer includes the steps of placing a wager at dealer bet areas (18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28). The player is awarded when the player correctly bets that the dealer will score at least one of a predetermined number of dealer outcomes, and playing the twenty-one game. The method also includes the steps of determining the score of the dealer, and comparing the score of the dealer to the predetermined number of dealer outcomes bet by the player. The player is awarded responsive to the wager and a coincidence between the dealer score and one of the predetermined number of dealer outcomes.



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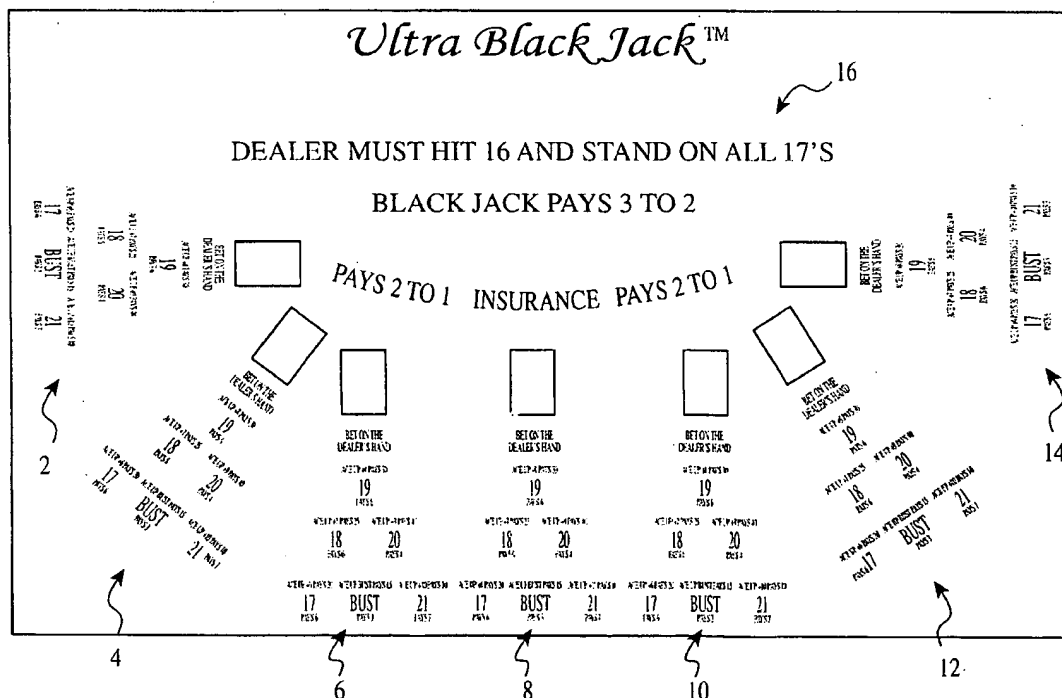
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[57] ABSTRACT

A method of playing a modified twenty-one card game by at least a dealer includes the steps of placing a wager awarded when the player bets that the dealer will score at least one of a predetermined number of dealer outcomes, and playing the twenty-one game. The method also includes the steps of determining the score of the dealer, and comparing the score of the dealer to the predetermined number of dealer outcomes bet by the player. The player is awarded responsive to the wager and a coincidence between the dealer score and one of the predetermined number of dealer outcomes.

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AN ACCUMULATED POT FOR CRAPS QUALIFIED BY A PREDETERMINED BLACKJACK
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English Abstract

A game is disclosed for combining the play of **blackjack** and the play of craps based upon two dice each having six faces numbered one to six. The board (12) presents a semicircular playing arena (14) with a dealer playing area adjacent the straight diameter (16) of the semicircular playing arena and a plurality of player areas (18). Each of the player areas includes a plurality of craps wager indicator circles (20, 22, 24). After the wagers are settled based upon the play of the cards in accordance with the rules of **blackjack**, each player who has a **blackjack** is offered the roll of the dice and a craps wager. The remaining players may also place bets on one of their respective craps wager circles (20, 22, 24). Each craps wager is then settled based on the outcome of a roll of the dice by the player having the **blackjack**. The subject invention is characterized by interleaving an accumulating pot which is supported by each player placing a pot wager on one of the three wager indicator circles prior to the cards being dealt. A register (34) keeps track of these initial pot wagers. A player qualifies to roll the dice for a portion of the pot by having a predetermined **blackjack**, such as the Ace and Jack of one suit or different suits.

French Abstract

L'invention decrit un jeu combinant le jeu de **blackjack** et le jeu de zanzi, en se basant sur deux des ayant chacun 6 faces numerotees de 1 a 6. La table de jeu (12) presente une surface de jeu semi-circulaire (14) avec une zone de jeu pour le donneur de cartes adjacente au diametre (16) de la surface de jeu semi-circulaire, ainsi qu'une pluralite de zones pour les joueurs (18). Chaque zone joueur comprend plusieurs cercles (20, 22, 24) d'indication des mises du jeu de des de type zanzi (craps). Apres etablisement des mises en fonction du jeu de cartes selon les regles du **blackjack**, chaque joueur ayant un **blackjack** se voit attribuer le lancement des des et une mise. Les autres joueurs peuvent egalement placer des mises sur l'un des cercles respectifs (20, 22, 24). Chaque

mise du jeu de des est ensuite etablie en fonction du resultat du lancement des des par le joueur ayant eu le **blackjack** . L'invention se caracterise par la combinaison d'une cagnotte qui est supportee par chaque joueur placant une mise sur l'un des trois cercles indicateurs avant que les cartes ne soient donnees. Un enregistreur (34) assure le suivi de ces mises initiales. Un joueur est qualifie pour le lancement des des pour une portion de la cagnotte s'il obtient un **blackjack** predetermine, par exemple l'as et le valet d'une meme couleur ou de couleurs differentes.

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GAME OF SKILL AND CHANCE
JEU DE CALCUL ET DE HASARD

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English Abstract

The game (10) uses a standard card deck (14), and is played by an action player (20a), a banker (20c), and a dealer (22). The action player and banker place their wagers. The dealer deals four cards each to the player and to the banker. The player looks at and arranges his cards in a front hand (24) and a back (26) hand. The banker then arranges his cards in a respective front (28) and back (30) hands. The two front hands are compared to determine a winner using the rules of **Blackjack**. If the action player wins, the banker satisfies the extent of the action player's wager, the remaining players lose and that round terminates. Otherwise, play proceeds to the next player. If the action player loses, the amount of his wager is given to the banker. In case of a **tie**, the two back **hands** are compared using to determine a winner using the rules of Poker.

French Abstract

Le jeu (10) utilise un paquet de cartes normal (14) et il fait intervenir un joueur actif (20a), un banquier (20c) et un distributeur (22). Le joueur actif et le banquier placent leurs mises. Le distributeur distribue quatre cartes au joueur, ainsi qu'au banquier. Le joueur examine ses cartes et les dispose en deux piles, une avant (24) et une arriere (26). Ensuite, le banquier dispose ses cartes en deux piles, une avant (28) et une arriere (30). On compare les deux piles avant pour decider qui est le vainqueur, en utilisant les regles du **Blackjack**. Si le joueur actif gagne, le banquier paie au joueur le montant de la mise de ce dernier, les autres joueurs perdent et le jeu est termine. Dans le cas contraire, on passe au joueur suivant. Lorsque le joueur actif perd, sa mise va au banquier. En cas d'egalite, on compare les deux piles arriere pour decider qui est le vainqueur, en utilisant les regles du Poker.



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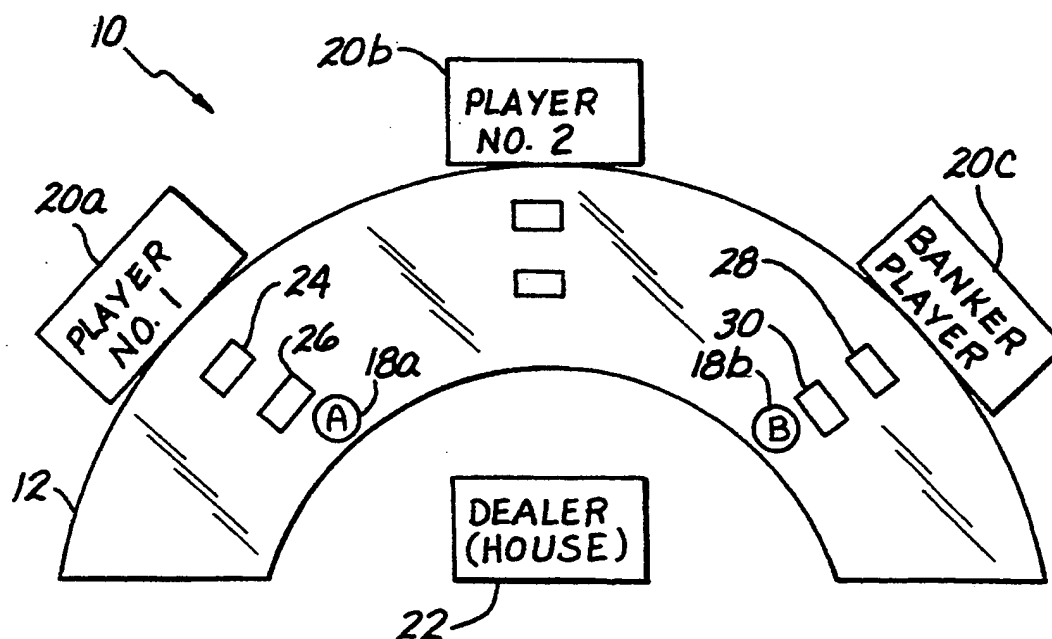
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[57] **ABSTRACT**

The game uses a standard 52 card deck, and is played by a minimum of an action player, a banker and a dealer. The dealer, deals the playing pieces, but does not act as the banker. The action player and banker place their wagers before the cards are dealt. The dealer deals 4 cards, each to the player and to the banker. The player, but not the banker, looks at his cards and arranges them in a front hand and a back hand and in any order desired. The front hand is to be played first. The banker's cards are turned over and placed in respective front and back hands. The two front hands are compared to show a win, lose or draw, using the rules of the game of Blackjack. If the action player wins, the banker satisfies the extent of the action player's wager, and that round of play terminates, and the remaining players lose their right to play in that round. Otherwise, play proceeds to the next player. If the action player loses, the amount of his wager is given to the banker. In case of a tie, the two back hands are compared to determine a winner and a loser, using the rules of the game of Poker. If there still exists a tie, the outcome is determined by pre-established rules.

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Gaming device e.g. double-up video poker gaming device has processor
selecting choice not trumped by choice selected by player when selected
outcome is draw outcome

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Gaming device e.g. double-up video poker gaming device has processor
selecting choice not trumped by choice selected by player when selected
outcome is draw outcome

Abstract (Basic):

... enables player to select one of the choices displayed by a
display device (30) and randomly selects win outcome or draw
outcome or lose outcome for the player. Processor selects the choice
not trumped by the choice selected by the player when the selected
outcome is a draw outcome.

... An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is included for method of operating the
gaming device...

... Gaming device e.g. double-up video poker gaming device and video
blackjack gaming device...

...Makes game more interesting by providing tie or draw outcome which
does not require a player to risk a currently achieved award...

...The figure shows the front side perspective view of the gaming device

...Title Terms: DRAW

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Casino table card game playing method e.g. for blackjack ,
involves displaying random symbol consisting of absolute payout,
maximum payout, extra rounds when player enters bonus game

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Casino table card game playing method e.g. for blackjack ,
involves displaying random symbol consisting of absolute payout,
maximum payout, extra rounds when player enters bonus game

Abstract (Basic):

... A player inputs predetermined number of game medium such as
wager on a casino table card game , based on which a hand of
cards is provided to the player. If the provided hand of cards has
specific triggering events, the player is allowed to enter a bonus game
where a random symbol consisting of absolute amount, maximum payout,
extra round to be obtained are displayed and accordingly provided to
the player.

... An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is included for casino table card game
playing apparatus...

...For playing casino table card game such as blackjack , casino
war, three card poker, match card game , baccarat, draw poker,
wild card poker, pai gow poker, ride stud poker, etc...

...The figure shows the display panel of casino table game...

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(54) **METHOD OF PLAYING A TABLE CARD GAME WITH AN ELECTRONIC MULTIPLIER BONUS FEATURE AND APPARATUS FOR PLAYING THE GAME**

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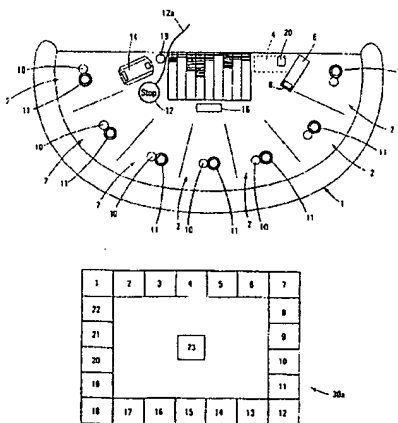
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ABSTRACT

A method of playing a casino table card game with a bonus event has a player placing a first wager on a casino table card game; providing a hand of cards to the player; determining if the hand of cards provided to a player is within a definition of specific triggering events; if the hand is determined to be within the definition of specific triggering events, allowing the player to enter a bonus game; the player enters at least one bonus game where a random symbol is displayed on a visual display device associated with the casino table, the random symbols identifying an award of an absolute amount of value or a factor that is used to increase a base amount; and resolving all wagers and awards for the player. An apparatus for implementing the method is also shown.

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**Cards choosing and display apparatus for card games e.g. draw
poker, produces random values for the cards selected using choosing
grid of video display by specific algorithm**

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**Cards choosing and display apparatus for card games e.g. draw
poker, produces random values for the cards selected using choosing
grid of video display by specific algorithm**

Abstract (Basic):

... The **player** chooses **cards** from a choosing grid on a video
display (10) through a pointing device or by voice operation. The
chosen card (18) is indicated and an algorithm produces **random** values
for the selected card, which are then revealed on the display.

... Used for **card games** like **draw** poker, stud poker,
blackjack, baccarat played on an electronic media like dedicated
standalone and connectable machines and personal computers...

...Allows **player** to choose **cards** in a **card game** with a greater
control...

...Title Terms: **DRAW** ;

International Patent Class (Main): **A63F-001/00**

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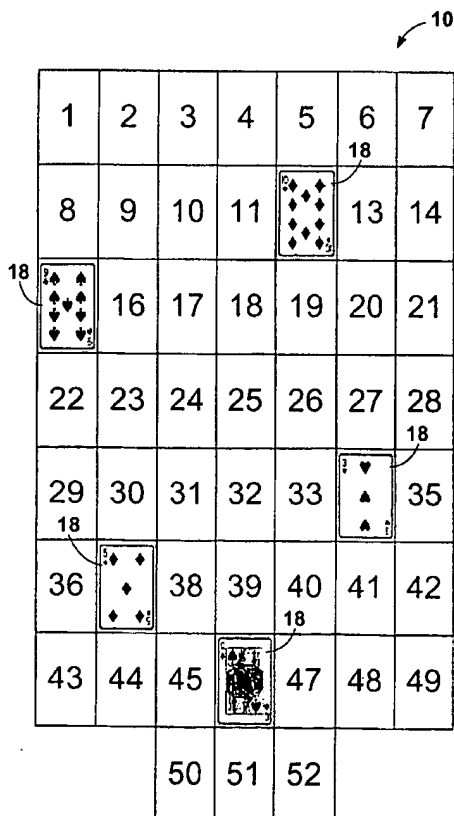
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- (71) Applicant: NEW VISION GAMING AND DEVELOPMENT, INC. [US/US]; 42 Irving Street, Medford, MA 02155 (US).

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(54) Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PLAYING CARD GAMES



(57) Abstract: A method and apparatus to choose playing cards during a game including a video display (10), a grid of cards on the video display, a way to choose cards from the grid to make a hand, a way to indicate on the grid which cards have been chosen (18), an algorithm for randomly selecting card values for the chosen cards, and a way to reveal the card values on the video display. Chosen cards are indicated as such on the grid, and the values of the chosen cards (18) are displayed on the grid or on an adjacent grid. A means for later discarding chosen cards is implemented and discarded cards are indicated on the grid as not being available to be chosen. Ways for the player to choose cards from the grid and to initiate other game controls include a touch sensitive screen, a pointing device, and voice activation.

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S5	676	AU=(KIM P? OR KIM, P? OR KIM P OR KIM, P OR KIM P. OR KIM, P. OR KIM PETER OR KIM, PETER)
S6	584	BLACKJACK? OR BLACK()JACK?
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WPI Acc No: 2004-010843/200401
Related WPI Acc No: 2003-287793; 2003-328275; 2003-697134
XRPX Acc No: N04-007899

Game playing method in e.g. video poker machine, involves entering player into agreement to bet on future round of play in accordance with revised table after dealing starting hand

Patent Assignee: DOWNS M D (DOWN-I); GELMAN G M (GELM-I); JORASCH J A (JORA-I); KIM P (KIMP-I); VOGEL P J (VOGE-I); WALKER J S (WALK-I)
Inventor: DOWNS M D; GELMAN G M ; JORASCH J A ; KIM P ; VOGEL P J ; WALKER J S

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

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US 20030218303	A1	20031127	US 2000201863	P	20000504	200401 B
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			US 2003341450	A	20030110	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2000201863 P 20000504; US 2000609720 A 20000630; US 2003341450 A 20030110

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 20030218303	A1		52	A63F-001/00	Provisional application US 2000201863

CIP of application US 2000609720
CIP of patent US 6523829

Abstract (Basic): US 20030218303 A1

NOVELTY - The method involves dealing a card to a player on reception of an initial bet from the player for a current round of play of a poker game, so as to form a starting hand. A player enters into an agreement to bet on a future round of play in accordance with a revised rule after dealing the starting hand but before determining on out come of the current round of the play.

USE - For playing games such as casino games, slot machine games, card games, sports games, video games in video poker machine, personal computer, pachinko machine, video **black jack** machine, video keno machine, video lottery machine, video bingo machines, reeled slot machine.

ADVANTAGE - Since the player enters into an agreement, the player gets enhanced payout during play of round.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows a schematic view of the **black jack** table.

black jack table (10)
dealer (12)
player (14)
card interface (18)
initial bet (20)
player starting hand. (24)
pp; 52 DwgNo 1A/17

Title Terms: GAME; PLAY; METHOD; VIDEO; POKER; MACHINE; ENTER; PLAY; AGREE; BET; FUTURE; ROUND; PLAY; ACCORD; REVISED; TABLE; AFTER; DEAL; START; HAND

Derwent Class: P36; T05; W04

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-001/00

File Segment: EPI; EngPI

...Inventor: GELMAN G M ...

... JORASCH J A ...

... KIM P ...

... WALKER J S

Abstract (Basic):

... card games, sports games, video games in video poker machine,
personal computer, pachinko machine, video **black jack** machine,
video keno machine, video lottery machine, video bingo machines, reeled
slot machine...

...The figure shows a schematic view of the **black jack** table...

... **black jack** table (10

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WPI Acc No: 2004-010359/200401
Related WPI Acc No: 2003-854063
XRPX Acc No: N04-007484

Bonus outputting method in game machine, involves increasing balance in player's account which is not directly controllable by player
Patent Assignee: FINCHAM M M (FINC-I); GELMAN G M (GELM-I); JORASCH J A (JORA-I); TULLEY S C (TULL-I); WALKER J W (WALK-I); WALKER DIGITAL LLC (WALK-N)

Inventor: FINCHAM M M; GELMAN G M; JORASCH J A; TULLEY S C; WALKER J W; WALKER J S

Number of Countries: 100 Number of Patents: 002

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WO 200389092	A1	20031030	WO 2003US9177	A	20030324	200401

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2002373747 P 20020418; US 2003395621 A 20030321

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 20030199312	A1		51	A63F-009/24	Provisional application US 2002373747

WO 200389092 A1 E A63F-013/00

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Abstract (Basic): US 20030199312 A1

NOVELTY - An account is created for a player such that the player has the direct control over the image of money in the account. The balance in the account is increased on determining a predetermined number of consecutive non-winning outcomes.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

- (1) game machine;
- (2) player account creation method; and
- (3) computer readable recorded medium storing instruction for performing bonus output process.

USE - For outputting bonus and payments to player of game machine (claimed) such as reeled slot machine, video poker machine, video keno machines, video **blackjack** and video bingo machine in casinos.

ADVANTAGE - Players are encouraged to continue to play by providing bonus on determining predetermined number of non-winning outcomes, thus increasing the profits of the casino.

pp; 51 DwgNo 0/15

Title Terms: BONUS; OUTPUT; METHOD; GAME; MACHINE; INCREASE; BALANCE; PLAY; ACCOUNT; CONTROL; PLAY

Derwent Class: P36; T01; T05; W04

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-009/24; A63F-013/00

File Segment: EPI; EngPI

...Inventor: GELMAN G M ...

... JORASCH J A ...

... WALKER J W ...

... WALKER J S

Abstract (Basic):

... game machine (claimed) such as reeled slot machine, video poker machine, video keno machines, video **blackjack** and video bingo machine in casinos...

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XRPX Acc No: N03-699711

Game playing method using slot machine, involves determining payout amount based on determination of final hand, during reverse payout mode

Patent Assignee: JORASCH J A (JORA-I); WALKER J S (WALK-I)

Inventor: JORASCH J A ; WALKER J S

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

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US 20030211878	A1	20031113	US 2002374384	P	20020419	200381 B
			US 2003420037	A	20030421	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2002374384 P 20020419; US 2003420037 A 20030421

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 20030211878	A1		49	A63F-009/24	Provisional application US 2002374384

Abstract (Basic): US 20030211878 A1

NOVELTY - An initial hand of a poker game is determined and its representation is displayed to a player. A request for changing the game to a reverse payout mode, is transmitted to the player. Based on the response, the highest expected value for the initial hand is determined and its respective final hand is determined with which payout amount is calculated.

USE - For playing gaming machines such as slot machines or video poker machines, video **blackjack** machines, video roulette machines, video keno machines, multi-line machines, video lottery terminals, personal computer, video bingo machines.

ADVANTAGE - Retains players for a longer period of time in the game machine, as the payout amount is determined by the players, and improves the charm of the play.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the plan view of normal payout table of slot machine.

slot machine (100)
physical reels (132,134,136)
display (138)
payout selector (144)
pp; 49 DwgNo 4B/19

Title Terms: GAME; PLAY; METHOD; SLOT; MACHINE; DETERMINE; PAYOUT; AMOUNT; BASED; DETERMINE; FINAL; HAND; REVERSE; PAYOUT; MODE

Derwent Class: P36; T05; W04

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-009/24

File Segment: EPI; EngPI

Inventor: JORASCH J A ...

... WALKER J S

Abstract (Basic):

... For playing gaming machines such as slot machines or video poker machines, video **blackjack** machines, video roulette machines, video keno machines, multi-line machines, video lottery terminals, personal computer...

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WPI Acc No: 2003-854063/200379
Related WPI Acc No: 2004-010359
XRPX Acc No: N03-682064

Outcome displaying method of reeled slot machine, involves determining apparent/actual outcomes of game along with corresponding payouts, and displaying actual outcome before displaying apparent outcome, as final outcome

Patent Assignee: FINCHAM M M (FINC-I); FRIESEN S T (FRIE-I); JORASCH J A (JORA-I); SAMMON R P (SAMM-I); WALKER J S (WALK-I); WALKER DIGITAL LLC (WALK-N)

Inventor: FINCHAM M M; FRIESEN S T; JORASCH J A ; SAMMON R P; WALKER J S

Number of Countries: 100 Number of Patents: 002

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
WO 200389091	A1	20031030	WO 2003US8729	A	20030320	200379 B
US 20030220133	A1	20031127	US 2002373747	P	20020418	200402
			US 2002373751	P	20020418	
			US 2002328116	A	20021220	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2002328116 A 20021220; US 2002373751 P 20020418; US 2002373747 P 20020418

Patent Details:

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US 20030220133	A1		A63F-013/00	Provisional application US 2002373747
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Provisional application US 2002373751

Abstract (Basic): WO 200389091 A1

NOVELTY - A payout of predetermined value associated with an apparent outcome determined based on a random number in a game, is determined. Based on the apparent outcome, an actual outcome corresponding to another payout which is of lesser value is determined. Apparent outcome is displayed along with the provision of corresponding payout to a player after displaying the actual outcome as final outcome.

USE - For displaying outcomes for gaming device such as reeled slot machine, video poker machines, video keno machine, video **blackjack**, video bingo machine, video roulette machine, lottery terminal, Nintendo gameboy.

ADVANTAGE - Increases the enjoyment of game by making an output of outcomes a more exciting experience, increases the revenue for the owners and operators of the gaming devices, and attracts more players to such gaming devices.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows a schematic view of the gaming device.

slot machine (500)

display area (505)

pay line (515)
payment system (540)
credit card reader (550)
pp; 94 DwgNo 5/12

Title Terms: DISPLAY; METHOD; REEL; SLOT; MACHINE; DETERMINE; APPARENT;
ACTUAL; GAME; CORRESPOND; DISPLAY; ACTUAL; DISPLAY; APPARENT; FINAL

Derwent Class: P36; W04

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-013/00

File Segment: EPI; EngPI

...Inventor: JORASCH J A ...

... WALKER J S

Abstract (Basic):

... for gaming device such as reeled slot machine, video poker
machines, video keno machine, video **blackjack** , video bingo machine,
video roulette machine, lottery terminal, Nintendo gameboy...

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WPI Acc No: 2003-854061/200379
XRPX Acc No: N03-682062

Payout modification method in e.g. slot machine, involves determining whether choice is offered to player to switch gaming device from using regular payout table to jackpot only payout table

Patent Assignee: FRIESEN S T (FRIE-I); JORASCH J A (JORA-I); WALKER J S (WALK-I); WALKER DIGITAL LLC (WALK-N)

Inventor: FRIESEN S T; JORASCH J A; WALKER J S; SANTISI S M

Number of Countries: 100 Number of Patents: 002

Patent Family:

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WO 200389087	A1	20031030	WO 2003US12274	A	20030418	200379 B
US 20030228902	A1	20031211	US 2002374437	P	20020419	200382
			US 2003419304	A	20030418	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2002374437 P 20020419; US 2003419304 A 20030418

Patent Details:

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WO 200389087	A1	E	57	A63F-013/00	

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Designated States (Regional): AT BE BG CH CY CZ DE DK EA EE ES FI FR GB GH GM GR HU IE IT KE LS LU MC MW MZ NL OA PT RO SD SE SI SK SL SZ TR TZ UG ZM ZW

US 20030228902 A1 A63F-009/24 Provisional application US 2002374437

Abstract (Basic): WO 200389087 A1

NOVELTY - The method involves determining whether a choice is offered to a player to switch gaming device from regular payout table to jackpot only payout table having winning and losing outcomes. An election is received from a player to switch the device between the regular and jackpot only payout tables.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for gaming device.

USE - Payout modifying in gaming device e.g. slot machine, video poker machine, video bingo machines, video **black jack**, pachinko machine, arcade game, video game machine, pinball machines, skill crane machine, video lottery terminals, on line gaming systems, sports betting machine, game consoles, personal computer logged into online gaming sites, casino game machine, using laptop computer, hand held computer, cellular telephones, kiosks, automated teller machines, vending machine, personal digital assistant, point-of-sale terminals, point of display terminals.

ADVANTAGE - Enables indicating the switching of payout table to the gaming device, at smaller wager amounts, thereby generating several outcomes at low cost.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows a flowchart explaining the payout modification process.

pp; 57 DwgNo 8/8

Title Terms: PAYOUT; MODIFIED; METHOD; SLOT; MACHINE; DETERMINE; CHOICE; OFFER; PLAY; SWITCH; GAME; DEVICE; REGULAR; PAYOUT; TABLE; PAYOUT; TABLE
Derwent Class: P36; W04

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-009/24; A63F-013/00
File Segment: EPI; EngPI

...Inventor: JORASCH J A ...

... WALKER J S

Abstract (Basic):

... modifying in gaming device e.g. slot machine, video poker
machine, video bingo machines, video **black jack** , pachinko machine,
arcade game, video game machine, pinball machines, skill crane machine,
video lottery terminals...

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WPI Acc No: 2003-697134/200366
Related WPI Acc No: 2003-287793; 2003-328275; 2004-010843
XRPX Acc No: N03-556799

Blackjack playing method involves determining whether player wishes to
make bust insurance bet, before player reviews additional card
Patent Assignee: GELMAN G M (GELM-I); JORASCH J A (JORA-I); KIM P (KIMP-I);
VOGEL P J (VOGE-I); WALKER J S (WALK-I)

Inventor: GELMAN G M ; JORASCH J A ; KIM P ; VOGEL P J ; WALKER J S

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

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US 20030155715	A1	20030821	US 2000201863	P	20000504	200366 B
			US 2000610120	A	20000630	
			US 2003361904	A	20030206	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2000201863 P 20000504; US
2000610120 A 20000630; US 2003361904 A 20030206

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 20030155715	A1		38	A63F-001/00	Provisional application US 2000201863

Div ex application US 2000610120
Div ex patent US 6540230

Abstract (Basic): US 20030155715 A1

NOVELTY - An additional card is dealt to a player for forming
current hand, in response to received request. A process unit
determines whether the player wishes to make bust insurance bet, before
the player reviews additional card. Benefit is provided to player if
the total value of the current hand exceeds preset value.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the
following:

- (1) blackjack playing apparatus; and
 - (2) machine-readable medium storing blackjack playing program.
- USE - For blackjack game.

ADVANTAGE - Provides additional option to the player dealt with
unfavorable starting hand, for continuing the play.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the blackjack
playing method.

table (10)
dealer (12)
player (14)
player tracking card (16)
card interface (18)
initial bet (20)
betting area (22)
starting hand (24)
pp; 38 DwgNo 1A/12

Title Terms: BLACKJACK ; PLAY; METHOD; DETERMINE; PLAY; BUST; INSURANCE;
BET; PLAY; ADD; CARD

Derwent Class: P36; W04

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-001/00

File Segment: EPI; EngPI

Blackjack playing method involves determining whether player wishes to

make bust insurance bet, before player reviews...
Inventor: GELMAN G M ...

... JORASCH J A ...

... KIM P ...

... WALKER J S

Abstract (Basic):

... 1) **blackjack** playing apparatus; and...

...2) machine-readable medium storing **blackjack** playing program...

...For **blackjack** game...

...The figure shows the **blackjack** playing method...

Title Terms: **BLACKJACK** ;

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WPI Acc No: 2003-328275/200331
Related WPI Acc No: 2003-287793; 2003-697134; 2004-010843
XRPX Acc No: N03-262550

Card game playing method for playing e.g. blackjack in e.g. physical casino, involves giving bust insurance benefit to player when total value of current hand exceeds predetermined value

Patent Assignee: WALKER DIGITAL LLC (WALK-N)

Inventor: GELMAN G M ; JORASCH J A ; KIM P ; VOGEL P J; WALKER J S

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
US 6540230	B1	20030401	US 2000201863	P	20000504	200331 B
			US 2000610120	A	20000630	

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2000201863 P 20000504; US 2000610120 A 20000630

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 6540230	B1	37	A63F-001/00		Provisional application US 2000201863.

Abstract (Basic): US 6540230 B1

NOVELTY - The method involves dealing at least one card to a player to form a starting hand, and dealing cards to the player according to the player's request to form a current hand. The total value of the current hand is calculated. When the total value exceeds a predetermined value, a bust insurance benefit is given to the player.

USE - For playing e.g. **blackjack** in e.g. physical casino, online casino, gaming operators.

ADVANTAGE - Offers additional option to player dealt with unfavorable starting hand, thus preventing player from getting discouraged in playing further.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the flowchart of the card game playing process.

pp; 37 DwgNo 2A/12

Title Terms: CARD; GAME; PLAY; METHOD; PLAY; **BLACKJACK** ; PHYSICAL; CASINO; BUST; INSURANCE; BENEFICIAL; PLAY; TOTAL; VALUE; CURRENT; HAND; PREDETERMINED; VALUE

Derwent Class: P36

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-001/00

File Segment: EngPI

Card game playing method for playing e.g. blackjack in e.g. physical casino, involves giving bust insurance benefit to player when total value

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Inventor: GELMAN G M ...

... JORASCH J A ...

... KIM P ...

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Abstract (Basic):

... For playing e.g. **blackjack** in e.g. physical casino, online casino, gaming operators...

...Title Terms: **BLACKJACK** ;

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WPI Acc No: 2003-167911/200316
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**Game playing method, for games of chance such as video poker, video
blackjack , mechanical slot, and video slot, that guarantees a winning
outcome**

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US 20030060276 A1 A63F-013/00 Provisional application US 2001307441

Abstract (Basic): WO 2003009913 A1

NOVELTY - The game of chance continues until a particular outcome
is achieved. The outcome is a winning experience resulting in a
positive pay out to the player. This positive pay out is determined by
a pay out table and the number of iterations required to achieve the
particular outcome.

USE - For games of chance such as video poker, video **blackjack** ,
mechanical slot, and video slot.

ADVANTAGE - Appeals to many different types of players.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the flow chart of the
method of playing a game that guarantees a win.

Flow chart (700)

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Title Terms: GAME; PLAY; METHOD; GAME; CHANCE; VIDEO; POKER; VIDEO;

BLACKJACK ; MECHANICAL; SLOT; VIDEO; SLOT; GUARANTEE; WINNING

Derwent Class: P36; T05; W04

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-009/24; A63F-013/00

File Segment: EPI; EngPI

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Abstract (Basic):

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WPI Acc No: 2002-498371/200253
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**Rewarding system for players of table games such as blackjack , has
controller coupled to reward counter to receive information from reward
counter, and to store in memory**

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Inventor: JORASCH J A ; WALKER J S

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Patent Family:

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US 6379247	B1	20020430	US 97888962	A	19970707	200253 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 97888962 A 19970707

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 6379247	B1		20	A63F-013/00	

Abstract (Basic): US 6379247 B1

NOVELTY - An input device of a reward counter receives input from a dealer, and includes a reward counter button corresponding to the wager of respective player. A controller (110) is coupled to the reward counter, to receive information from the reward counter, and to store in a memory.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is included for table game player rewarding method.

USE - For providing rewards such as free drinks, meals, frequent flyer miles, hotel accommodation for players playing games such as **blackjack** , craps, roulette, poker.

ADVANTAGE - Casinos easily correlate a disproportionately high number of miles to the highest range of wagers, thereby encouraging the players to wager greater amount of money.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figures show the schematic and perspective views of respective table game and mileage counter.

Controller (110)

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Title Terms: SYSTEM; PLAY; TABLE; GAME; **BLACKJACK** ; CONTROL; COUPLE;
REWARD; COUNTER; RECEIVE; INFORMATION; REWARD; COUNTER; STORAGE; MEMORY

Derwent Class: P36; T01; T05; W04

International Patent Class (Main): A63F-013/00

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Abstract (Basic):

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for players playing games such as **blackjack** , craps, roulette, poker

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Electronic slot machine e.g. video poker machine generates numeric data by processing user input data and random number using combination algorithm

Patent Assignee: JORASCH J A (JORA-I); WALKER J S (WALK-I); WALKER DIGITAL LLC (WALK-N)

Inventor: JORASCH J A ; WALKER J S

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Patent Details:

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US 6511376	B2			A63F-009/24	Cont of application US 97833034 Cont of application US 99439307 Cont of patent US 6010404 Cont of patent US 6343988

Abstract (Basic): US 20020034975 A1

NOVELTY - The player input code is received through a numeric key pad/biometric reader/physical scanner. A central processing unit (CPU) initiates the random number generator, to generate a random number. The CPU retrieves a combination algorithm from an algorithm database and applies the algorithm to user input and the random number, to generate a numeric data.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

- (a) Server for control of gaming devices;
- (b) Electronic slot machine playing method;
- (c) Electronic slot machine output generation method;
- (d) Article of manufacture comprising computer readable medium

USE - E.g. reel bearing slot machine, video poker machine, video **blackjack**, video keno game machine, video roulette machine, video bingo machines.

ADVANTAGE - The information pertaining to the player is retrieved easily based on player's ID number. Recognizes output of each game irrespective of number of user inputs.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the schematic view of electronic slot machine.

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Title Terms: ELECTRONIC; SLOT; MACHINE; VIDEO; POKER; MACHINE; GENERATE; NUMERIC; DATA; PROCESS; USER; INPUT; DATA; RANDOM; NUMBER; COMBINATION; ALGORITHM

Derwent Class: P36; T01; T05; W04
International Patent Class (Main): A63F-009/24; A63F-013/00
File Segment: EPI; EngPI

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Abstract (Basic):

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S7	35	S1:S5 AND S6

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BONUS ROUND PLAY

PROCEDE ET APPAREIL PERMETTANT DE JOUER A UNE PARTIE BONUS

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English Abstract

Methods and apparatus are provided for enabling a player to take a tour of a secondary game at a game machine. In one embodiment, a method is provided that includes offering to enable entry of a player into a bonus round of a game machine in exchange for a fee, receiving the fee from the player (910), and enabling entry of the player into the bonus round (920). The method further includes receiving an indication of at least one player selection during the bonus round, and determining an outcome based on the at least one player selection. In other embodiments, the method includes providing a prize to the player based on the outcome (950).

French Abstract

Cette invention concerne des procedes et un appareil permettant a un joueur de participer a un jeu secondaire sur une machine de jeux. Dans un mode de realisation, cette invention concerne un procede consistant a offrir a un joueur la possibilite de participer a une partie bonus d'une machine de jeux en echange d'un paiement ; a recevoir le paiement du

joueur (910) ; et a permettre au joueur de participer a la partie bonus (920). Ce procede consiste egalement a recevoir une indication relative a au moins une selection du joueur pendant la partie bonus ; et a determiner un resultat sur la base de ladite selection du joueur. Dans d'autres modes de realisation, ce procede consiste a remettre un prix au joueur en fonction du resultat (950).

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR GUARANTEEING A WIN

PROCEDE ET APPAREIL GARANTISSANT DE GAGNER AU JEU

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English Abstract

Flow chart (700) represents a process that may be performed by a gaming device. The gaming device generates a primary outcome (710). The gaming device receives a designation of a target outcome (720). The gaming device determines an appropriate payout table based on the target outcome (730). The gaming device receives a wager (740). The gaming device generates a secondary outcome based on the primary outcome (750). The gaming device then determines whether the generated secondary outcome matches the target outcome (760). If the secondary outcome does not match the target outcome the gaming device increments an iteration counter (770). If the secondary outcome does match the target outcome, the player

is provided with a payout based on the determined payout table and the number of iterations required to achieve the target outcome (780).

French Abstract

L'organigramme (700) represente un processus qui peut etre execute par un dispositif de jeu. Le dispositif de jeu genere un premier resultat (710), recoit une designation d'un resultat cible (720), determine une table de prix appropriee sur la base du resultat cible (730), recoit un pari (740), genere un second resultat sur la base du premier resultat (750), puis il determine si le second resultat genere correspond au resultat cible (760). Si le second resultat ne correspond pas au resultat cible, le dispositif de jeu incremente un compteur d'iteration (770). Si le second resultat correspond bien au resultat cible, le joueur recoit un gain sur la base de la table de gains determines, et le nombre d'iterations exige pour obtenir le resultat cible (780).

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